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The Legislature met on Wednesday, but it is uncertain yet which will have a majority in that body, the Colonels, a very pleasant affair Majors, Judges, Captains, or the plain Misters

Mr. P. M. Cohen, the St. Clair street clothing merchant, has packed up his stock and gone to Louisville. He says the business is overdone here, there being more stores than customers.

The business upon the river seems to have about played out, as the steamer Hornet laid up at the wharf here for several days on account of having so little to do. She left for Louisville. Tuesday.

Notice.—The Truthful Witness will become a weekly on the first Thursday in January, and after that date the price of the paper will be \$1 a year. Subscribe now, pay the cash and obtain the paper at 50 cents a year. Call at Dr. Smith's office or send him 50 cents.

We notice in one of our exchanges that a fire took place at Wakefield & West's saw mill about one mile below the city on Tuesday last. If our reporter is correctly informed (and he was on the spot) it was on Christmas morning. Give us more enterprise .- Capital.

As a careful examination of your issue of the next day fails to discover any mention of the aforesaid fire, we Hall on Thursday evening, which was would suggest, neighbor, that you try a delightful affair, the time being some of your own prescription. But spent in singing and dancing. At 12 perhaps "our reporter" got lost in Craw | o'clock Mr. Alex. Schneider, President on his way home from the fire and fail- of the Society, in a neat speech preed to show up with his report until too late for publication.

Mr. Emulus Cromwell and Miss Leona Jett, of this county, were riding along the Versailles pike Monday evening, when their buggy was run into and upset by a couple of young men from Shelbyville, in a jersey wagon. Miss Jett and Mr. Cromwell were dragged some distance in the top but fortunately were not seriously injured. Their horse being gentle did not attempt to kick and was soon stopped, but the buggy was a complete wreck. The shafts were broken of the jersey wagon, and the horse ran for about a mile before being caught, but neither of the young men were hurt. The driver claims that he did not see the buggy, and although given all the road ran into it.

The General Assembly met on Wednesday at noon, but did not effect an organization until Thursday. The following officers were elected:

In the Senate-Harry Glenn, Esq., of Nicholas, Chief Clerk; John Allison, Esq., of Muhlenburg, Assistant Pifer, Jas M. Case. Clerk; B. W. Jenkins, of Louisville, Sergeant-at-Arms; J. Fry Lawrence, Chairman; A. Chilson, Geo W. Reock. of Jefferson, Door-Keeper.

In the House of Representatives-Hon. Chas. Offutt, of Bourbon, Speaker; Hon. Green R. Keller, of Nicholas, Room of the Christain Church. The Chief Clerk; Willis L. Ringo, of Hickman county, Assistant Clerk; Col. Jake Corbett, of Franklin, Sergeantat-Arms; Robert Tyler, of Louisville, Door-Keeper.

After hearing the Governor's message read both Houses adjourned until Monday.

In a hastily written item in our supplement of last week we stated that Mr. Linden Lewis, of this county, accidentally shot himself in the leg with a shot gun. This was a mistake. He had bored an auger hole in the end of a hickory block about 18 inches long and 10 inches in diameter, filled the hole with blasting powder, attached a fuse and touched it off, intending to have some Christmas fun. After lighting the fuse he started to run to a safe distance, but thinking the fuse was not burning, he stopped and looked back, when the charge exploded, splitting the block into three pieces, one of them striking him on the right leg just above the knee, breaking the bone into three pieces. Dr. S. F. Smith, of this city, was sent for and reduced the fracture and he is doing as well as possible, but doesn't think he will want to fool with powder any more.

Messrs, Wingate & Florian have established a roller skating rink at Woodlake.

A watch party was given by Miss Rebecca Averill on Thursday evening, which was largely attended by her numerous friends.

Misses Sue and Lollie French gave a watch party Thursday evening to their friends of the Drennon set, which was

The Farmers Bank declared a semiannual dividend yesterday of 3 per cent., the Bank of Kentucky 4 per cent., and the Deposit Bank 3 per cent.

The new year came in beautifully. If the weather of yesterday is to be an indication of the year it certainly will be a delightful one.

Hereafter we will have a carrier in paper at the doors of all our subscribers in that place. Persons desiring to take the paper will please leave their names with Mr. A. B. Hammond, at the Champion Mill, and they will be called upon promptly by our young

to W. T. Gaines & Co., when passing by Mangan & Co.'s livery stable, on main street, sank in the soft mud where there had been some trouble with the water pipes, clear up to the axle and it had to be unloaded in order to extricate it.

The Frankfort Manerchor gave a Sylvester Eve entertainment at Weitzel's sented Prof. Wayland Graham, on behalf of the Manerchor, with a velvet base rocker, as a token of their appreciation of his services.

A gentleman's social club, called the Deposit Bank of Frankfort Waverly Club, has been organized in this city. The room in the old Bank corner, over Szymanski's barber shop, has been rented and handsomely fitted up for a reading room, and a fine billiard table has been purchased and placed in it. Mr. R. W. McRery has been elected President; Gen. D. W. Lindsey; Vice President; and Mr. Jas. Real Estate..... A. Murray, Secretary and Treasurer. Stamps..... The club is composed of about forty members so far, and will still further increase its numbers.

The following officers were elected Monday night, by Capital Lodge, No. 6, I. O. O. F., for the ensuing six months:

Geo. W. Reock, N. G. Lee A. Owen, V. G.

J. R. Williams, Secretary.

N. F. Richardson, Treasurer. Wm. Howe Williams, Host.

-Widows and Orphans Committee-N. F. Richardson, Chairman; D. H.

Financial Committee-G. Schaefer,

The Chautaugua Circle meets Monday evening at 74 o'clock at the Lecture following is the programme:

1-Reponse to Roll Call by quotation from Whittier, in honor of his birthday. 2-Vocal Solo by Walter Franklin. 3-Original Poem by Major H. T.

Stanton. 4-Intermission of ten minutes.

5-Recitation Mrs. Geo. F. Berry.

6- Address by S. F. J. Trabue, jr. 7-Quizon Readings Rev. R. E. Cald-

## Attention, A. G. Bacon Post.

Regular meeting Monday January 4th at Weitzel Hall.

Installation of the following officers

elected:

W. B. Newton, S. V. Lewis H. Finnell, J. V.

Chas. C. Furr, Qu. M.

D. W. Lindsey, Commander.

A. B. Norwood, Officer of the Day. John Dean, Officer of the Guard.

Wesley Clark, Chaplain.

Chas. Rossen, Surgeon.

James Kinkade, S. M.

W. P. Willis, Qu. M. S. V. Berberich, Adj't. All comrades are requested to be

present. By order of D. W. Lindsey, C. R. B. TAYLOR, Adj't. Attest:

### MARRIED.

\*At the residence of the bride's mother in Belle Point on Tuesday, December 29th, by Rev. G. F. Fagby, Mr. Thos. H. Locke, of Louisville, and Miss MATTLE B. Todd. of Belle Point.

At the residence of Mr. Anthony Williams, in this county on Wednesday, December 30, 1885, by Rev. G. F. Bagby, Mr. David H. Pifer and Miss Littia A. Robertson.

Thursday evening December 24.1885, at the residence of Mr. John at Geinbat on No. 8 Millerstreet, Fittsburg, by Rey, M. D. Lichliter, assisted by Rey, J. T. Kiley, Mr. Will, E. Met Raw, of Allegheny, to Miss Emma Dearmit, of Fittsburg.

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## MILLS.

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## of Corn, either into meal or hominy. We kee constantly on hand a large stock of

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## FOR SALE

I OFFER THE RESIDENCE I NOW OCCUPY ON Clinton street, between Ann and High streets, for sale at a bargain. Will sell on easy terms or ex-PAT. NEWMAN.

### STATEMENT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE

## AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS

DECEMBER 3 ST. 1885. ASSETS.

| Loans and Discounts | \$149,212 | 95 |
|---------------------|-----------|----|
| Cash                | 33,132    | 37 |
| Due from Banks      | 10,517    | 92 |
| Furniture           | 1,900     | 00 |
| Protest             |           | 05 |
| Don't Patert        | 10 000    | 40 |

|                             | \$211.497 | 42 |
|-----------------------------|-----------|----|
| LIABILITIES.                | - 11      |    |
| Capital Stock               | \$77,400  | 00 |
| Old Dividends               | 197       | 00 |
| Dividend No. 35, 3 per cent | 2,322     | 00 |
| Individual Depositors       | 114,606   | 59 |
| Due to Banks                | 3,533     | 31 |
| Profit and Loss             | 13,438    | 52 |

\$211,497 42

## H. H. WATSON, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

A Dividend of three (3) per cent. will be paid on the Capital Stock of the Deposit Bank of Frankfort on and after Tuesday, January 5th, 1886.

H. H. WATSON, Cashier.

## PROPOSALS

FOR A

EALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED UN

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED UNtil January 12. 1886, for the erection of a new Jail
for Franklin county, subject to the conditions named
and according to the plans and specifications of
McDonald Bros., of Louisville, Ky., now on ale in the
County Cierk's office in Frankfort.

Bidders will be required to furnish with their propositions a properly authenticated bond for hair the
amount of the contract, conditioned for the faithful
execution of said contract, and the guarantee that
said work will be executed according to the plans
and specifications, and that said work will be commenced and executed according to the direction of
said court, or a committee appointed by said court.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

PAT. McDONALD,
S. M. TINSLEY.
C. W. THRELKELD,
Committee.

FRANKFORT, KY., December 16, 1885.

## MOTICE

A LL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE estate of C. Balley deceased, will please file them with the administrator, properly proven for payment. Also all persons indebted to the same will come forward promptly and settle the same.

J. H. BAILEY, Adm'r.

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